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The Honorable Mike Simpson The Honorable Chellie Pingree

Chairman Ranking Member

House Appropriations Subcommittee on House Appropriations Subcommittee on

Interior, Environment and Related Agencies Interior, Environment and Related Agencies

Dear Chairman Simpson and Ranking Member Pingree:

I am requesting funding for the Apple Creek Corporate Park Sewer Upgrade in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Gastonia, NC located at 181 S. South St, NC 28053. The funding would be used for the purposes of obtaining a new water storage tank that will help connect new residential developments to the city's existing water system. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will leverage local tax dollars to increase the sewage system in this area and attract investment and jobs and further economic development and growth throughout the region.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 22 U.S.C. 1381 et seg.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Jeff Jackson

Member of Congress

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